

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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POST GRADUATE PROGRAMME IN PSYCHITARY
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the norms for post-graduate programmes in psychiatry;
- (b) whether any proposal is under the consideration of the Government to relax the norms and to make it flexible;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (d) The norms for post-graduate programmes in psychiatry are given in Post-graduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000 to Medical Council of India. The Regulations are reviewed from the time to time to meet the latest requirements.